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NOTIFICATION OF THE RECORDING
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Administrative Instructions, Section 422)

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International application No. PCT/US99/28107	International filing date (day/month/year) 24 November 1999 (24.11.99)

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NOTIFICATION OF ELECTION

(PCT Rule 61.2)

From the INTERNATIONAL BUREAU

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Date of mailing: 22 June 2000 (22.06.00)	
International application No.: PCT/US99/28107	Applicant's or agent's file reference: 15280-382-1PC
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Applicant: DEAN, Michael et al	

1. The designated Office is hereby notified of its election made:

☒ in the demand filed with the International preliminary Examining Authority on:

05 April 2000 (05.04.00)

☐ in a notice effecting later election filed with the International Bureau on:

2. The election
- ☒
- was

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(54) Title: AN ATP-BINDING CASSETTE PROTEIN RESPONSIBLE FOR CYTOTOXIN RESISTANCE

(57) Abstract: This invention provides for ATP-binding cassette protein which is responsible for cytotoxin resistance. The invention also provides for methods of expressing the protein and assays for identification of inhibitors of the protein.

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INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION REPORT

(PCT Article 36 and Rule 70)

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Applicant's or agent's file reference 15280-3821PC	FOR FURTHER ACTION See Notification of Transmittal of International Preliminary Examination Report (Form PCT/IPEA/416)	
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International Patent Classification (IPC) or national classification and IPC C12N15/12		
Applicant THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES ... et al.		

1. This international preliminary examination report has been prepared by this International Preliminary Examining Authority and is transmitted to the applicant according to Article 36.



2. This REPORT consists of a total of 6 sheets, including this cover sheet.

- ☐ This report is also accompanied by ANNEXES, i.e. sheets of the description, claims and/or drawings which have been amended and are the basis for this report and/or sheets containing rectifications made before this Authority (see Rule 70.16 and Section 607 of the Administrative Instructions under the PCT).

These annexes consist of a total of sheets.

3. This report contains indications relating to the following items:

- I ☒ Basis of the report
- II ☐ Priority
- III ☒ Non-establishment of opinion with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability
- IV ☐ Lack of unity of invention
- V ☒ Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement
- VI ☐ Certain documents cited
- VII ☐ Certain defects in the international application
- VIII ☒ Certain observations on the international application

Date of submission of the demand 05/04/2000	Date of completion of this report 08.02.2001
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INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION REPORT

International application No. PCT/US99/28107

I. Basis of the report

1. This report has been drawn on the basis of *(substitute sheets which have been furnished to the receiving Office in response to an invitation under Article 14 are referred to in this report as "originally filed" and are not annexed to the report since they do not contain amendments (Rules 70.16 and 70.17).)*:

Description, pages:

1-39 as originally filed

Claims, No.:

1-20 as originally filed

Sequence listing part of the description, pages:

1-4, as originally filed

2. With regard to the **language**, all the elements marked above were available or furnished to this Authority in the language in which the international application was filed, unless otherwise indicated under this item.

These elements were available or furnished to this Authority in the following language: , which is:

- ☐ the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of the international search (under Rule 23.1(b)).
- ☐ the language of publication of the international application (under Rule 48.3(b)).
- ☐ the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of international preliminary examination (under Rule 55.2 and/or 55.3).

3. With regard to any **nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence** disclosed in the international application, the international preliminary examination was carried out on the basis of the sequence listing:

- ☒ contained in the international application in written form.
- ☐ filed together with the international application in computer readable form.
- ☐ furnished subsequently to this Authority in written form.
- ☒ furnished subsequently to this Authority in computer readable form.
- ☒ The statement that the subsequently furnished written sequence listing does not go beyond the disclosure in the international application as filed has been furnished.
- ☒ The statement that the information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written sequence listing has been furnished.

4. The amendments have resulted in the cancellation of:

- ☐ the description, pages:
- ☐ the claims, Nos.:
- ☐ the drawings, sheets:

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EXAMINATION REPORT**

International application No. PCT/US99/28107

5. ☐ This report has been established as if (some of) the amendments had not been made, since they have been considered to go beyond the disclosure as filed (Rule 70.2(c)):

(Any replacement sheet containing such amendments must be referred to under item 1 and annexed to this report.)

6. Additional observations, if necessary:

III. Non-establishment of opinion with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability

1. The questions whether the claimed invention appears to be novel, to involve an inventive step (to be non-obvious), or to be industrially applicable have not been examined in respect of:

☐ the entire international application.

☒ claims Nos. 18.

because:

☐ the said international application, or the said claims Nos. relate to the following subject matter which does not require an international preliminary examination (*specify*):

☐ the description, claims or drawings (*indicate particular elements below*) or said claims Nos. are so unclear that no meaningful opinion could be formed (*specify*):

☐ the claims, or said claims Nos. are so inadequately supported by the description that no meaningful opinion could be formed.

☒ no international search report has been established for the said claims Nos. 18.

2. A meaningful international preliminary examination report cannot be carried out due to the failure of the nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence listing to comply with the standard provided for in Annex C of the Administrative Instructions:

☐ the written form has not been furnished or does not comply with the standard.

☐ the computer readable form has not been furnished or does not comply with the standard.

V. Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement

1. Statement

Novelty (N)	Yes:	Claims 1-17,19,20
	No:	Claims

Inventive step (IS)	Yes:	Claims
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	No:	Claims	1-17,19,20
Industrial applicability (IA)	Yes:	Claims	1-17,19,20
	No:	Claims	

2. Citations and explanations
see separate sheet

VIII. Certain observations on the international application

The following observations on the clarity of the claims, description, and drawings or on the question whether the claims are fully supported by the description, are made:
see separate sheet

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EXAMINATION REPORT - SEPARATE SHEET**

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Re Item V

Reasoned statement with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability;
citations and explanations supporting such statement

1. **The priority document for the present application was not available at the time of formulating the present written opinion. The findings in this opinion are based on the assumption that the priority is validly claimed for all claimed subject matter.**
2. The following documents are referred to:

D1 = Allkimets et al. (1996), Human molecular genetics, 5(10):1649-1655.
D2 = Doyle et al. (1998), Proc. Am. Assoc. for Cancer Research, 39, abstract 4475
3. The claimed subject matter appears not to have been known in the art. Hence novelty (article 33.2 PCT) can be accepted.

However, evidently cell lines with resistance to mitoxantrone that exhibit multidrug resistance without overexpressing MRP had been known in the art (see description p. 2 lines 5-9). From one such cell line a gene has been cloned by differential display (see D2). Applicant has essentially repeated the teaching of D2 to a further cell line exhibiting the above said features. This resulted in the protein of the present invention.

In view of the fact that further such cell lines had been known in the art and that the art taught the skilled person that he could clone the like genes with a reasonable expectation of success via disclosed identification and isolation routes, the protein as subject of the present application is not considered to involve an inventive step but merely to result from routine experimentation. Consequently, the subject matter of claims 1-20 lacks inventive step under Article 33.2 PCT.

Re Item VIII

Certain observations on the international application

1. The wording "specifically binding" in the context of the claims is unclear (article 6 PCT). In view of the fact that "specifically binding" should actually mean that it only binds the said protein and no other protein, it is unclear how it actually should bind another protein (i.e. possibly having more less than 95 % homology).

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INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

(PCT Article 18 and Rules 43 and 44)

Applicant's or agent's file reference 15280-382-1PC	FOR FURTHER ACTION see Notification of Transmittal of International Search Report (Form PCT/ISA/220) as well as, where applicable, item 5 below.	
International application No. PCT/US 99/ 28107	International filing date (day/month/year) 24/11/1999	(Earliest) Priority Date (day/month/year) 30/11/1998
Applicant THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES et al		

This International Search Report has been prepared by this International Searching Authority and is transmitted to the applicant according to Article 18. A copy is being transmitted to the International Bureau.

This International Search Report consists of a total of 8 sheets.

☒ It is also accompanied by a copy of each prior art document cited in this report.

1. Basis of the report

a. With regard to the **language**, the international search was carried out on the basis of the international application in the language in which it was filed, unless otherwise indicated under this item.

☐ the international search was carried out on the basis of a translation of the international application furnished to this Authority (Rule 23.1(b)).

b. With regard to any **nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence** disclosed in the international application, the international search was carried out on the basis of the sequence listing :

☒ contained in the international application in written form.

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☒ furnished subsequently to this Authority in computer readable form.

☒ the statement that the subsequently furnished written sequence listing does not go beyond the disclosure in the international application as filed has been furnished.

☒ the statement that the information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written sequence listing has been furnished

2. ☒ **Certain claims were found unsearchable** (See Box I).

3. ☐ **Unity of invention is lacking** (see Box II).

4. With regard to the **title**,

☐ the text is approved as submitted by the applicant.

☒ the text has been established by this Authority to read as follows:

AN ATP-BINDING CASSETTE PROTEIN RESPONSIBLE FOR CYTOTOXIN RESISTANCE

5. With regard to the **abstract**,

☐ the text is approved as submitted by the applicant.

☒ the text has been established, according to Rule 38.2(b), by this Authority as it appears in Box III. The applicant may, within one month from the date of mailing of this international search report, submit comments to this Authority.

6. The figure of the **drawings** to be published with the abstract is Figure No.

☐ as suggested by the applicant.

☐ because the applicant failed to suggest a figure.

☐ because this figure better characterizes the invention.

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☐ None of the figures.

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Box I Observations where certain claims were found unsearchable (Continuation of item 1 of first sheet)

This International Search Report has not been established in respect of certain claims under Article 17(2)(a) for the following reasons:

1. ☐ Claims Nos.:
because they relate to subject matter not required to be searched by this Authority, namely:
2. ☒ Claims Nos.: 18
because they relate to parts of the International Application that do not comply with the prescribed requirements to such an extent that no meaningful International Search can be carried out, specifically:

See FURTHER INFORMATION sheet PCT/ISA/210
3. ☐ Claims Nos.:
because they are dependent claims and are not drafted in accordance with the second and third sentences of Rule 6.4(a).

Box II Observations where unity of invention is lacking (Continuation of item 2 of first sheet)

This International Searching Authority found multiple inventions in this international application, as follows:

1. ☐ As all required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this International Search Report covers all searchable claims.
2. ☐ As all searchable claims could be searched without effort justifying an additional fee, this Authority did not invite payment of any additional fee.
3. ☐ As only some of the required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this International Search Report covers only those claims for which fees were paid, specifically claims Nos.:
4. ☐ No required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant. Consequently, this International Search Report is restricted to the invention first mentioned in the claims; it is covered by claims Nos.:

Remark on Protest

- ☐ The additional search fees were accompanied by the applicant's protest.
- ☐ No protest accompanied the payment of additional search fees.

FURTHER INFORMATION CONTINUED FROM PCT/ISA/ 210

Continuation of Box I.2

Claims Nos.: 18

Present claim 18 relates to a compound defined by reference to a desirable characteristic or property, namely specifically binding to an ATP-binding cassette protein. The claim covers all compounds having this characteristic or property, whereas the application provides support within the meaning of Article 6 PCT and/or disclosure within the meaning of Article 5 PCT for only a very limited number of such compounds. In the present case, the claims so lack support, and the application so lacks disclosure, that a meaningful search over the whole of the claimed scope is impossible. Independent of the above reasoning, the claim also lacks clarity (Article 6 PCT). An attempt is made to define the compound by reference to a result to be achieved. Again, this lack of clarity in the present case is such as to render a meaningful search over the whole of the claimed scope impossible. Consequently, the search has been carried out for those parts of the claims which appear to be clear, supported and disclosed, namely those parts relating to antibodies.

The applicant's attention is drawn to the fact that claims, or parts of claims, relating to inventions in respect of which no international search report has been established need not be the subject of an international preliminary examination (Rule 66.1(e) PCT). The applicant is advised that the EPO policy when acting as an International Preliminary Examining Authority is normally not to carry out a preliminary examination on matter which has not been searched. This is the case irrespective of whether or not the claims are amended following receipt of the search report or during any Chapter II procedure.

Box III TEXT OF THE ABSTRACT (Continuation of item 5 of the first sheet)

This invention provides for ATP-binding cassette protein which is responsible for cytotoxin resistance. The invention also provides for methods of expressing the protein and assays for identification of inhibitors of the protein.

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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC 7 C12N15/12 C07K14/705 C12N5/10 G01N33/68 C07K16/18

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

IPC 7 C12N C07K G01N

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practical, search terms used)

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
A	<p>ALLIKMETS R ET AL: "Characterization of the human ABC superfamily: isolation and mapping of 21 new genes using the Expressed Sequence Tags Database" HUMAN MOLECULAR GENETICS, GB, OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS, SURREY, vol. 5, no. 10, 1996, pages 1649-1655, XP002120400 ISSN: 0964-6906 abstract page 1649, right-hand column, paragraph 4 -page 1650, left-hand column, paragraph 1 page 1650, left-hand column, paragraph 4 -page 1654, right-hand column, paragraph 1; figure 2; table 1 --- -/--</p>	1,2,7-9

☒ Further documents are listed in the continuation of box C.☒ Patent family members are listed in annex.

* Special categories of cited documents:

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Date of the actual completion of the international search

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C.(Continuation) DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
A	<p>JONG SEOK LEE ET AL.: "Reduced drug accumulation and multidrug resistance in human breast cancer cells without associated P-Glycoprotein or MRP overexpression"</p> <p>JOURNAL OF CELLULAR BIOCHEMISTRY, vol. 65, no. 4, 15 June 1997 (1997-06-15), pages 513-526, XP002135021</p> <p>abstract</p> <p>page 514, left-hand column, paragraph 2</p> <p>page 519, left-hand column, paragraph 2</p> <p>-right-hand column, paragraph 1</p> <p>page 522, right-hand column, paragraph 2</p> <p>-page 524, left-hand column, paragraph 1</p> <p>---</p>	1-20
A	<p>DOYLE, L.A. ET AL.: "Cloning and characterization of Breast Cancer Resistance Protein (BCRP), a novel ATP-binding cassette (ABC) transporter that may contribute to the multidrug-resistance phenotype of MCF-7/AdrVp breast cancer cells."</p> <p>PROCEEDINGS OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH, vol. 39, 28 March 1998 (1998-03-28)</p> <p>- 1 April 1998 (1998-04-01), page 657</p> <p>XP000891682</p> <p>abstract no. #4475</p> <p>---</p>	1-20
A	<p>LAGE H ET AL: "Cloning and characterization of human cDNAs encoding a protein with high homology to rat intestinal development protein OCI-5"</p> <p>GENE: AN INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL ON GENES AND GENOMES, GB, ELSEVIER SCIENCE PUBLISHERS, BARKING, vol. 188, no. 2, 1 April 1997 (1997-04-01), pages 151-156, XP004059294</p> <p>ISSN: 0378-1119</p> <p>abstract</p> <p>page 151, left-hand column, paragraph 2</p> <p>-page 155, right-hand column, last paragraph; figures 1,2</p> <p>---</p>	1-20
P,X	<p>WO 99 40110 A (UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, BALTIMORE) 12 August 1999 (1999-08-12)</p> <p>page 6, line 5 -page 7, line 3</p> <p>page 9, line 9 -page 10, line 12</p> <p>page 11, line 12 -page 10, line 22;</p> <p>examples 9,10,14</p> <p>---</p> <p>-/--</p>	1-5,7,8, 18-20

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International Application No

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C.(Continuation) DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
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